In re application of

COLE et al.

Serial No.

09/677,737

Filed:

October 2, 2000

For:

METHODS FOR REDUCTION OF THAT ION AND ERYTHEMA

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D.C. 20231

sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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No additional fee is required.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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TOTAL CLAIMS	16	minus	16	0	x \$18	=\$ 0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	minus	2	0	x \$80	=\$ 0.00
MULT. DEP. CLAIMS					\$ 270	=
	=\$ 0.00					

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 23, 2001 (Paper No. 6), Applicants request reconsideration in light of the following Amendment and Remarks.

AMENDMENT

In The Claims:

Please amend claim 1, 2, 7, 12, and 16 as follows:

(Amended) A method for ameliorating redness or inflammation of mammalian skin by topically applying a composition comprising:

- (a) an effective amount of a redness or inflammation reducing agent selected from the group consisting of an alkanolamine; tyrosine; or a mixture thereof; and
- (b) a cosmetically acceptable carrier;

wherein said alkanolamine has the following general formula:

X—N—Z | Y